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Per 

March 4, 2008

Dear Sir or Madam:

I'm unrepresented by a lawyer (to my knowledge). I ask that an attorney be appointed to help request a sentence reduction.

I would like to know if I'm eligible to receive the 2-level Reduction that the Sentencing Commission has made available to those sentenced for so-called "Crack" Offenses. There's a slew of trivialities that may, or may not, bring me through the threshold to receive the benefits of the New Sentencing Amendment, (i.e. I plead Guilty to 50 grams of Cocaine Base [Count II], the Government enhanced the amount to 500 grams!)

Is 10 years (50 grams) my statutory minimum? Or, because I was enhanced, is there a higher mandatory minimum? I'm under the impression that 50 grams or "more" encompasses the enhancement of 500 grams.

Also, I'm in Category 6 by way of Criminal History Points. They never sought the Career Criminal statute being as though my Criminal History Points calculated a point more (38) verses the Career Offender (37). The confusing part is,----Amendment twelve (12). "Criminal History" would rectify my sentence marginally, if not significantly. Reason being, I have a Consolidation Order that, once coupled with this new Amendment, would bring clarity and resolution to the Objections I made at sentencing (P.S.R.)

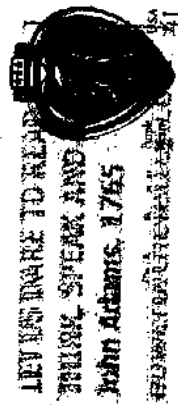
I believe with counsel, I'd receive the full and just portion of these new laws.

With All Due Respect,


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cc: Mr. Thorton
Mr. Krauss
Represented me on different
occassion who would be my attorney

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